

COST SHARE AGREEMENT for the Poomacha Incident.

**COST SHARE AGREEMENT
USDA- FOREST SERVICE
And
STATE OF CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF FORESTRY AND FIRE PROTECTION**

The following is the cost share agreement between the above named agencies as it was negotiated for the following incident.

INCIDENT NAME: Poomacha Fire

INCIDENT NUMBER BY AGENCY: CAL FIRE- CA-MVU-010643
USFS- P5D1SF
BIA- D1SF

INCIDENT START DATE AND TIME: October 23, 2007 0313 hours

JURISDICTIONS: CAL FIRE- San Diego Unit (MVU)

USFS- Cleveland National Forest

Valley Center Fire Protection District (VCFPD)

INCIDENT CAUSE: Structure Fire, cause undetermined, that spread to the vegetation.

COMMAND STRUCTURE: Unified

COST SHARE PERIOD: October 23, 2007 0313 hrs thru 11/24/07 2400hrs

INCIDENT COMMANDER: CAL FIRE- Mike Bratton I/A – 10/23/07
Dave Ault – 10/24/07 thru 11/4/07
Kevin O'Leary – 11/5/07 thru 11/24/07

INCIDENT COMMANDER: USFS- Wes Ruiz I/A- 10/23/07
Carlton Joseph- 10/24/07 thru 11/4/07
Norm Walker – 11/5/07 thru 11/24/07

AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE: BIA- Ralph Satterberg

UNIFIED ORDERING POINT: Monte Vista Interagency Command Center

Agency Representatives participating in development of this cost share agreement.

Mike Bratton, CAL FIRE

Wes Ruiz, USFS

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Kevin O'Leary, CAL FIRE

Norm Walker, USFS

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This cost share agreement between USDA Forest Service and State of California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CDF) was prepared under the following guidelines:

1. In accordance with the Cooperative Fire Protection Agreement between the USDA, Forest Service, USDI, Bureau of Land Management, USDI, National Park Service, USDI, Bureau of Indian Affairs and the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection.
2. All costs originating from orders placed by and for the incident that can be reasonably obtained and estimated for the cost share period will be included in this agreement and will be shared on the basis of the ICs/ARs' mutual agreement.
3. Costs for non-expendable property purchases by each agency will be charged direct to that agency and will not be shared.
4. Costs incurred by cooperators not engaged in joint fire suppression activities will not be included as a part of this cost share agreement.
5. Agency specific costs will not be shared.
6. Responsibility for tort claim costs or compensation for injury costs will not be a part of this agreement. Responsibility for these costs will be determined outside of this agreement.
7. Non-suppression rehabilitation costs are the responsibility of the jurisdictional agency and will not be shared.
8. Daily cost sharing will be documented and approved by the ICs/ARs for cost apportionment.
9. Sharing of final actual costs between the agencies will be based on a summary of daily estimated incident suppression costs and each agency's proportionate share thereof as agreed to by the jurisdictional representatives.

10. Shared costs will be based on the Incident Commanders/Agency Representatives mutual judgment and agreement as to threat, incident objectives, and resources assigned for each agency's area of responsibility.
11. Aircraft and retardant costs will be shared on an actual use basis as determined by the Incident Commanders/Agency Representatives and will be calculated as a separate cost.
12. An administrative charge, the pre-established percentage set by each agency, will be applied by the agency issuing the settlement billing for the net amount owed.
13. Within 5 months the parties to this agreement will meet to determine the total costs of each agency. The agency whose total actual costs exceed their proportional share of the overall incident final costs as determined within this agreement will bill the other agency. The billing, when paid, will result in each agency sharing overall incident costs as herein agreed.
14. All Costs associated with Tanker 910 (DC-10), including fire retardant, are the sole responsibility of the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection.
15. In recognition of their responsibility and in accordance with the 2007 CIIFA Letter of Management Direction, the Valley Center Fire Protection District will be responsible to pay for resources and support they provide to meet their protection responsibilities within their jurisdiction.
16. If further fire suppression work (ground/air) is required past the Apportionment period, each agency will be responsible for their costs within their direct protection responsibilities. A separate incident number will be used by each agency to capture those costs and will not be apportioned.
17. Cost for suppression repair has been projected and included in the apportionment process for a period of two weeks. If additional suppression repair is required after November 24, 2007, costs for this suppression repair will be negotiated and if necessary cost apportionment will be re-opened.
18. The following agencies will be responsible for collecting actual cost/expenditure data that will make up the cost pool of shareable costs.

COST SOURCES

Federal Agency
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State Agency

RESPONSIBLE AGENCY

BIA- Bureau of Indian Affairs
USFS- Cleveland National Forest
CDF -San Diego (MVU)

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In accordance with the attached documentation, it is hereby agreed that the cost sharing of this incident will be:

AGENCY	GROUND RESOURCES	AIRCRAFT/RETARDANT
USFS	73.10%	90.9334%
CDF	18.18%	5.3442%
BIA	8.72%	3.7224%
TOTAL	100%	100%

This agreement and the apportionment are our best judgments of agency cost responsibilities.

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Date of this finalized agreement: 11/09/07

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Attachments will follow, if applicable